IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A selective information retrieval system disposed at least in part in a computing system and comprising:

first means for receiving an information retrieval request from a first source, said first source being a first search engine connected to said computing system via a network, or from a second source, said second source being a second search engine disposed within said computing system, said information retrieval request relating to price information;

second means for determining the source of said request; and

third means for retrieving information in response to said request and said source, said third means including means for retrieving a first set of data in response to a said retrieval request from said first source and a second set of data in response to a said retrieval request from said second source.

2. (Original) The invention of Claim 1 wherein said first means includes a network interface.

3. (Original) The invention of Claim 2 wherein said network interface is a Web interface.

4. (Original) The invention of Claim 2 wherein said network interface is an intranet interface.

5. (Original) The invention of Claim 1 wherein said second means is a source detector.

6. (Original) The invention of Claim 5 wherein said third means includes a database management system.

7. (Currently Amended) A selective information retrieval system disposed at least in part in a computer system, said information retrieval system comprising:

first means for receiving ~~a first~~ an information retrieval request from a first source;

second means for retrieving ~~a second~~ said information retrieval request from a second source; and

third means for retrieving information from a first database for said first source in response to said ~~first~~ request and for retrieving information from a second database for said second source in response to said ~~second~~ request.

Claims 8 - 11 (Canceled)